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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated June 5, 2001 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 10-16, 49 and 52-69, and objecting to claims 50 and 51 of the above-identified application.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

- An extension of time for responding to the final rejection for 3 1. month(s):
 - was filed on December 5, 2001
 - is submitted herewith.
- Applicant has qualified for the 50% reduction in fee for an independent inventor, non 2. profit organization or small business concern and a fee in the amount of \$160.00 is: Required.
 - ☐ Not required (Fee paid in prior appeal).
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